

## FIFTY YOUNGSTERS READY FOR COUNTRY

First Detachment of Child  
Convalescents to Leave  
Town Thursday.

## 300 MORE SCHEDULED AS TRIBUNE'S GUESTS

Work at Middletown—Goshen  
Depends on Subscriptions—  
Total Now \$2,163.

On Thursday of this week fifty convalescent children will be sent to the country by the Tribune Fresh Air Fund. This first party of the season will be received at the Middletown-Goshen Home for Convalescent Children. Each child will be kept in the country for two weeks. At the end of that time, if there are some who have not gained as rapidly as was expected, these will be kept for an additional two weeks. There will be fifteen boys and thirty-five girls in the party.

The lot of the sick poor is not so hard in these days as it once was. Public hospitals, dispensaries and clinics are open for the treatment of their ills, and no one need go without medical aid of necessity. But so many are the patients who clamor for the beds in the hospitals and the attention of the clinics that those who are cured for to-day must pass on to-morrow. It is impossible to continue the public care for patients during long periods of convalescence.

As soon as they may justifiably be pronounced cured they must be discharged to make room for more urgent cases. It therefore happens frequently that little Joe or Jimmy who has been under treatment for a bad back or leg is sent to his home—or what passes for such—with his back in a plaster jacket or, under the necessity of helping himself up his tenement stairs, with a pair of crutches. Or perhaps it is little Jennie, who has been laid up with an attack of pneumonia which almost proved too much for her. She is cured and on the way to health, but a wan-faced little shadow of her former self for all that.

### Must Go Back to Tenements.

They must go back to their tenements and fight their way through double difficulties to health and strength—even though it be summer, with the thermometer at one hundred and the humidity at seventy-five.

It is for the boys and girls of the poor to whom this fate falls that the Middle-town-Goshen home is maintained. The Tribune Fresh Air Fund intends that about three hundred tots who would otherwise languish through a long convalescence in tenement ovens shall this summer pass at least a fortnight of that summer amid the green fields and shady recesses of the country, where they have fresh air, good food and fun in plenty.

The children to make up the fifty who are to go on Thursday have already been selected. Below are given the facts that led to the selection of a few. These facts are not the result of an inquisitorial examination into affairs of the families in question, but were gathered by a sympathetic school teacher during friendly visits at the homes of her pupils: "Pietro," six years old. Lives at Randall's Island, where he was sent suffering from heart failure. Is very much better, but needs a rest. Family is poor and dirty, so that the child has little chance of getting better.

"Alex," eleven years. Lives at child looks like a shadow, yet has not been down ill. Family starved. The A. I. C. P. has been helping the family all winter. Parents shiftless. Mother has been in the hospital, so that Alex has had to shift for himself. A family that does not care whether the boy lives or dies.

Lived Four Years on Board.

"Edward," nine years. Lives at child Edward was four years old he was strapped to a board. A little over a year ago had his neck operated on. A very delicate child and a deserving family.

"Margaret and Richard," seven and thirteen years. Live at Margaret has had pneumonia. Richard has had pneumonia and rheumatism. Very deserving family. Both very delicate.

"Rose," seven years. Has just returned from Harlem Hospital, after some stomach trouble. Child has no mother. The little girl looks after her brother and the house. Child needs a little change.

"Isadore," eleven years. Lives at child has had hip disease for four years. Has right leg in plaster. Discarded crutches about two months ago. Has spent fifteen months in the hospital, in East 61st St. There is a girl of seventeen in this family who is simple-minded and a little girl of seven who has Bright's disease. There are, altogether, six children.

These are fair samples of the children who are to get a glimpse of the country on Thursday. The Tribune Fund has many more on its list than can be accommodated in this first group. Places will be found for them later.

Work On in Earnest.

With the Fund's work opening up in earnest the necessity for money to meet expenses is being felt. The friends of former years as well as new friends, are urged to help in any way.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS.

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## BUTLER AMES TO WED

Cupid Conquers Boston Bachelor for Miss Fille Willis.

(By Telegraph to The Tribune.)  
Boston, June 14.—Former Representative Butler Ames, long numbered among Massachusetts' most eligible bachelors, is to marry Miss Fille Willis, of Columbus, Mass., on June 25.

The former Representative is forty-three years old. He is interested in many local manufacturing companies. His prospective bride, who is twenty-six years old, is said to be a member of a wealthy family.

Colonel Ames has had an interesting career. Son of Major General Adelbert Ames, and a grandson of the late Major General Benjamin F. Butler, he was graduated from West Point in 1894, and later from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

## CASTLES GIVE DANCE CUP

Three Brooklyn Couples Win in Elimination Finals.

Eighteen couples competed in the finals of the elimination dancing contests at Luna Park, Coney Island, before Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Castle as judges last night.

Walter T. Stoddard and Miss Rosamund Silvercup were awarded the first prize, a silver cup donated by the Castles. A. J. Starke and Miss Edna Van Riper won the second honors, and third place was given J. B. Baker and his partner, who refused to give her name. All three couples are from Brooklyn.

The elimination dances, of the hesitation and one step variety, have been conducted every night the last week. The eighteen were chosen as the best of the many entrants to the contests.

## HAMMERSTEIN FUNERAL

Many Prominent Theatrical Men Attend Brief Services.

The funeral of William Hammerstein took place yesterday morning from his home, 315 Central Park West. The services were at Temple Israel, at 120th St. and Lenox av., and the interment was in Woodlawn cemetery. Business associates and men prominent in theatrical life attended the funeral.

The honorary pallbearers were Percy G. Williams, E. F. Albee, Martin Beck, J. J. Murdoch, William Fox, Marcus Loew, William Morris, Pat Casey, Walter Rosenberg and Louis J. Vorhaus.

The services at the synagogue were extremely simple. A eulogy was delivered by the Rev. Dr. M. H. Harris and another was offered at the grave by Mr. Vorhaus.

## SHORT REST FOR ACTORS

A. H. Woods to Open New Dramatic Season Soon.

With the old theatrical season just ended, A. H. Woods begins to-day preparations for the new, Douglas Fairbanks and his supporting company reporting for rehearsals of the Byron Ogilvy-Emil Nylström comedy, "He Comes Up Smiling."

July 6 is the date set for the opening and the company will include Patricia Collings, George Backus, George Howell, Edward R. Mawson, Harry Harwood, Robert Kelly, Edward Durand and Rexford Kendrick.

Low Fields, in "The High Cost of Living," is the next Woods attraction to be produced. Engagements for the cast include Alice Hagan, Vivian Martin, George Hassell, Billie Taylor, Desmond Kelly, Harry Beresford, Ernest Lambert, Jeanette Ragerud, Nicholas Burnham and Julia Ralph. This production is scheduled for early August.

Other August productions are "Innocent," adapted from the Hungarian by George Broadhurst, and "Drugged," a new Owen Davis play for John Mason.

With Mr. Mason will be several associates of other plays, including William Sampson, Robert McWade, Frank Thomas, Amelia Gardner, Katherine LaSalle, Helen Fulton, Guy Nichols, and John Miller.

For the Broadhurst play Arthur Lewis, John Findley, George Probert, Julian L'Etang and Joseph Granby have been engaged.

## BENEFIT FILM AT LYRIC

Shuberts Offer Theatre to Aid Newsboys' Camp Fund.

In anticipation of public interest in the raising of funds for the maintenance of the summer camp of the Newsboys' Home Club, at Woodland Beach, S. I., Lee Shubert has arranged to place at the disposal of the Newsboys' Home Club benefit committee the Lyric Theatre, in addition to the Casino, for the week beginning Monday, June 22, when the proceeds of the attractions at the two houses will be given to the fund.

At the Lyric Mr. Shubert will show the motion picture tableaux "Little Lord Fauntleroy," in six parts, which was produced by a company of English players.

Mrs. Francis Hodgson Burnett, the author of "Little Lord Fauntleroy," will be present at the opening performance.

## Transatlantic Flight Entrant

Sponsored by Paris Singer

(By Cable to The Tribune.)

London, June 14.—"The Daily Mail" announces a second entry for the prize of \$50,000, offered by it for a waterplane flight across the Atlantic in seventy-two hours. Paris Singer, already known as an enthusiastic motorist and as a member of the wealthy family who founded the Singer Sewing Machine business, has notified an entry to the Royal Aero Club in behalf of Auguste Macon, the French aviator, who will act as pilot and superintendent of the construction of the machine.

## AT BRIARCLIFF LODGE.

The season is now at its height at the Briarcliff Lodge, and each day brings new arrivals. Mr. and Mrs. William Harkness, of Brooklyn, have arrived for an all-summer stay, also Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Sayre, of Brooklyn.

Mrs. W. C. Bill is entertaining her cousin, Mrs. Jack Anderson, of New York. Mrs. G. T. Claffin and Miss McClaughlin, of New York, are spending a few days at the lodge, while opening their cottage at Bridge Cliff Manor, Judge P. S. Grosvenor, of Chicago, and daughter, Mrs. K. G. Jordan, are at the lodge for an all-summer stay.

Dr. and Mrs. James B. Clemens have as their guest Miss M. B. Langseth, of New York. Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Seldrum, of New York, and Mrs. W. C. Connor, Jr., of New York, and Mrs. W. U. Parsons and family, of Ardley, are at the lodge for a brief stay, as are also Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Wiser, of Prescott, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Sellers, Miss Vera Sellers, N. J. Aukland and F. H. Bunting, of Toronto, and Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Clarke and Miss Clarke, of Woodbury, N. J.

## DEATH COMES TO ADLAI STEVENSON

Former Vice-President  
Passes Away After a  
Long Illness.

## THREE CHILDREN WITH HIM AT END

Holder of Many Public Offices  
Breaks Down When Death  
Removes His Wife.

Chicago, June 14.—Adlai E. Stevenson, Vice-President of the United States during Grover Cleveland's second term as President, died in a hospital in this city early this morning. He had been ill a long time and death had been expected for several days.

Mr. Stevenson's three children were with him at the end. They are Lewis G. Stevenson, president of the Illinois Board of Pardons; Miss Letitia Stevenson, of Bloomington; and Mrs. Martha D. Hardin, of this city.

Mr. Stevenson lost his wife about six months ago. His health, which had been poor, rapidly became worse, and his final breakdown dated from Mrs. Stevenson's death. He had been unconscious for twenty-four hours when he died.

Mr. Stevenson will be buried Tuesday afternoon. His body was brought home to-night from Chicago. Vice-President Marshall will come from Washington to attend the funeral. Governor Dunne and other state officials will be the honorary pallbearers. The body will lie in state until the funeral.

"Adlai, get your axe!" is a cry that will be well remembered by those whose political memories go back as far as thirty years. It arose, half seriously, half banteringly, at the beginning of the first administration of Grover Cleveland, and the first Democratic administration since the Civil War. Adlai Ewing Stevenson was made First Assistant Postmaster General, and as such was looked upon as the headman of the administration who should decapitate innumerable Republican officeholders to make room for the hungry and thirsty multitude of Democratic office seekers. He did not respond to the call with half the zeal which party spoilsmen expected and desired, but it was with such an introduction that he first loomed large on the scene of national politics.

Mr. Stevenson was a native of Christian County, Ky., whither his father and mother, John T. and Eliza Ewing Stevenson, Scotch-Irish pioneers, had removed from North Carolina, and he was born on October 23, 1835. He was educated in the local schools and at Centre College, Kentucky, an institution at which he did not complete his full course or graduate, but which in after years gave him the honorary degree of LL. D. When he was between sixteen and seventeen years old he removed with his family to Bloomington, Ill., and ever afterward made that place his home. His father was a farmer, but he declined to follow that pursuit. Instead, he studied law and gained admission to the bar, and also, as was the custom of Illinois lawyers in those days, began to dabble in politics. By a curious coincidence, he was admitted to the bar in the very year and month in which Grover Cleveland was also admitted at Buffalo.

### Master in Chancery for Years.

For several years he was a master in chancery, and made so good a record that in 1861 he was elected District Attorney in a constituency, which was normally Republican, by 1,000 majority, although he was already known as an uncompromising Democrat.

He retired to private life and to private practice in 1869, but in 1874 was called back to politics as the Democratic candidate for Congress in a district which was normally Republican by about 4,000 majority. The events of 1872 had, however, weakened the Republicans; all the opposition elements united in Mr. Stevenson's support, and he was elected to the first Democratic House of Representatives since the war. It may be added that his opponent was General John McNeill, one of his warmest personal friends, and that their campaigns were conducted together in a joint public debate.

He showed himself a painstaking and efficient legislator, and especially commended himself to public favor by his course in the Hayes-Tilden dispute of 1877. He believed, of course, that the Democrats had won and that Mr. Tilden should be seated. But he advocated the electoral commission as a rational means of settling the dispute, and when that body decided in favor of General Hayes he loyally accepted the result.

He was re-elected to the 46th Congress in 1878, and was then called on to declare himself on several important issues. One of these was the so-called army bill, the purpose of which was to prohibit the use of federal troops at elections in the Southern States. This measure he vigorously supported. Another was the question of the currency, particularly the coinage of silver, which had been demonetized by the "crime of 1873." On this Mr. Stevenson took what was then the prevailing Western stand in favor of the re-monetization and free coinage of the white metal.

### Defeated by 242 Votes.

In 1880 he was re-nominated, but was defeated by only 242 votes, although his district gave a Republican majority of 2,900 for President. He then again retired to private life. In 1881 he was a delegate to the Democratic National Convention, and afterward, as a member of its notification committee, for the first time met Grover Cleveland. On the entrance of the latter into the Presidency Mr. Stevenson's close friend, William F. Vilas, was made Postmaster General, and in August, 1882, he made Mr. Stevenson his first assistant.

Then rose the cry, "Adlai, get your axe!" There were more than 55,000 post-offices at his disposal, and a "clean sweep" of all Republican incumbents was demanded. But Mr. Stevenson, though never classed as a civil service reformer, had the good of the public service too much at heart to yield indiscriminately to the insensate cry for loot. He did, indeed, appoint Democrats to offices, but as a rule only as fast as the terms of Republicanism expired, and then with a large exercise of discrimination in selecting competent and trustworthy men. His administration of an office which was in some respects actually more important than that of the Postmaster General himself was thus, on the whole, equitable and satisfactory. Near the end of the administration Mr. Cleveland appointed him to be an associate justice of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia—a place which he was well fitted by temperament and training to fill—but the nomination was never acted upon by the Senate, either for confirmation or rejection.

Once more Mr. Stevenson retired to



ADLAI E. STEVENSON.

private life. Once more he was recalled to public life. He was put forward in 1892 as a candidate for the place of Vice-President on the Democratic ticket, and was elected. This choice was decidedly gratifying to Mr. Cleveland, who had become warmly attached to Mr. Stevenson during his own first term, and who had strongly resented the Senate's refusal to act favorably on his nomination for the bench. As Vice-President Mr. Stevenson shared the usual fate of occupants of that office, in being chiefly "a name and nothing more." But he discharged his duties with fidelity, impartiality and dignity, and retired at the end of his term with the high esteem of the Senate and of the nation.

He was again put forward for the Vice-Presidency in 1900, although in that year the Democratic bosses of Illinois refused to let him be sent to the party's national convention as a delegate-at-large. It was a strange thing for that honor to be denied to a former Vice-President, and it was a unique thing—and decidedly embarrassing to the party bosses—for a man to be nominated for a high office by the very convention from which he had been excluded. He shared the fate of his colleague on the ticket, Mr. Bryan, in being defeated, and thereafter remained in private life. It should be added that in 1897 President McKinley appointed Mr. Stevenson as a Democratic member of the Bimetallism Conference Commission.

### THOMAS A. PHELAN.

Thomas A. Phelan, first president of the National Tea Association, and one of the leading tea importers in the country, died yesterday from apoplexy at his home in Larchmont. He retired from active business a year ago at the age of sixty-eight.

Mr. Phelan was chairman of the government commission appointed in 1889 to revise the system of grading teas, under the new import law. When the National Tea Association was established, in 1892, he was chosen president, and he was twice re-elected. At his retirement he was head of George W. Lane & Co. He leaves a wife and four sons.

### LAWRENCE P. WASHBURN.

Salem, Mass., June 14.—Lawrence P. Washburn, a widely known newspaper man, died to-night. For sixteen years he was city editor of "The Salem Evening News."

### THEATRICAL NOTES.

For the next attraction at the Casino Theatre, the Shuberts have arranged to show the Paul Rainey 1914 African hunt pictures, beginning next Monday afternoon. There will be three performances daily.

The 20th performance of Selwyn and Company's "Under Cover" takes place in Boston to-night.

Since the opening of "The Passing Show of 1914" at the Winter Garden, a complete cooling plant has been installed and will be in perfect working order to-night.

Bertha Mann, recently seen in a one-act dramatic play for the leading part of the Chicago "To-day" company, which will be headed by Arthur Byron.

Marcus Loew and Charles H. Ebbets, president of the Brooklyn National League team, announce Saturday night as opening of their season of vaudeville, moving pictures and fireworks on Ebbets Field.

Miss Deirdre Doyle has been engaged for the leading feminine part in the Anglo-Chinese play, "Mr. Wu," which is to be Walker Whiteside's vehicle for the coming season. Miss Doyle has played in "Madam X" and the lead in "Everybody."

"The Telephone Tangle," Joseph Hart's production, with Dorothy Regal, will be on the anniversary bill at the New Brighton Theatre this week.

### AT SOUTHAMPTON.

(By Telegraph to The Tribune.)

Southampton, Long Island, June 14.—The week end has been quiet. Owing to the polo game many of the cottagers here are at Westbury for the games, social entertainments and dinners.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Scott Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Hoffman, Harry Pelham Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. W. DeLancey Kuntze and Richard Peters are among those who are at Westbury.

Mrs. Edward H. Van Ingen will arrive on Monday for the season. Mrs. Van Ingen has leased Mrs. Hoadley's cottage, in First Neck Lane.

Dr. and Mrs. P. F. Chambers are at their cottage for the season.

### Time Curtain Rises To-day

8:00—Passing Show 1914. Winter Garden.

8:15—Potash & Perlmutter. Cohen's.

8:30—The Yellow Ticket. Edgington.

8:45—Ziegfeld's Follies. New Amsterdam.

9:00—Too Many Cooks. 39th Street.

9:15—Seven Macs. Comedy.

9:30—Keys to Baldpate. Gaity.

9:45—The Beauty Shop. Astor.

10:00—The Things That Count. Playhouse.

10:15—The Dumb Show. Hudson.

10:30—A Pair of Sixes. Longacre.

STOCK AND ONE WEEK THEATRE.

8:15—Damaged Goods. Academy.

8:30—Vaudeville Houses.

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